

CHAIRMEN CONFERENCE

Some Inside History Regarding the Fusionists.

Chairman Butler Writes to Chairman Young for Information and Receives a Hot Letter.

The following letter is self explanatory:

Washington, D. C., Jan. 21, 1898.
Hon. John C. Young, Portland, Oregon.

Dear Sir.—Recently Senator Jones, chairman of the democratic national committee, has brought to me from time to time letters from the democratic state chairman of your state and other leading democrats, about the situation out there.

Having heard nothing from you officially, I was unable to express an opinion or confer intelligently about the matter referred to. Will you kindly take the time to write me the present situation, the feeling of our people, and the outlook for the coming campaign in your state? Would be glad to assist you in pushing the fight successfully in any way that I can.

Yours very truly,
MARION BUTLER, Chairman.

Hon. John C. Young's reply is as follows:

BAKKE CITY, Jan. 28, 1898.
Hon. Marion Butler, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir.—Yours of the 21st instant, making inquiry as to the political situation in Oregon, is just received. In reply will say that a very large percentage of our people were greatly dissatisfied with the work of our national convention, and were so much disgusted at the bad faith displayed by the democracy in keeping Sewall on the ticket, that it was with the greatest difficulty a full populist vote was gotten out in November, though ours was a Bryan-Watson ticket. Large numbers of them voted the ticket under protest and have since given their abhorrence to the Memphis movement, have gone completely over to the social democrat party, which is now rapidly organizing "branches" in this state. This (Debs) organization will not become active in Oregon except on condition of a fusion, and in that event we shall lose fifty percent, or 15,000, of our voters, resulting in the election of the republican state, congressional and legislative tickets, even in the event of a division in the republican ranks. These voters feel that in accepting Mr. Bryan they did all that patriotism demanded at their hands, and they insist that as contrition for the bad faith the democracy practiced in 1896 it shall at least show good faith in 1898 by laying down the organization in those states of the North where the populist is the second party in the field, and especially in view of the fact that the democracy ignores and treats with contempt the populists in those Southern states where it can win without their aid, and where our voters are told to go to the devil or herd with the "niggers where they belong". They feel that populism is not sectional, that a populist and his cause in Mississippi or Alabama are as worthy of consideration as in Oregon where the populists number two to one of the democrats. The truth cannot be concealed. In this state a persistent effort to accomplish a fusion for the destruction of populism has been pushed by concerted action of other parties and factions. It is natural and legitimate on the part of the gold party, but the co-operative movement to this end on the part of the silver men to give aid and comfort to the democracy either directly or indirectly, will not be by the independent thinkers and actors in our ranks. They will refuse to be "put" by bosses or pie hunters as the voters of the old parties may be, and their objections to being treated as political chattels in the name of free silver and under the precious plea of patriotism amounts to positive revolt.

The desire of the rank and file of the democracy of Oregon for a union or fusion is based on a banking after the loaves and fishes, but no one knows better than the local and national democratic leaders themselves that an effective union or fusion on the lines they propose is impossible, and they are not pushing this union movement with a view so much to get the offices or in the interests of silver, as with the well founded expectation that the extent of such union will measure the extent of populist disintegration and a somewhat corresponding growth of the democracy to the end that it may occupy the whole political field against the gold party in 1900. The old line populists, the real backbone of the party, know this and resent it with scorn.

Senator Jones and his silver republican aids may succeed in destroying the peoples party. Indeed they may have already done so, but its destruction in this state and elsewhere will avail nothing in the final analysis, for, boom companies though they may be now, the inevitable treachery of the democracy will bring the inevitable row.

If Senator Jones and his coadjutors are sincerely and solely interested in securing silver congressmen from Oregon, then advise them to call off their dogs here and give over the field to the

populists, who will elect silver congressmen—if any at all are elected—about whose standing in this issue there will be no question. Yours truly,
JOHN C. YOUNG.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING.

Populist County Central Committee Passes Resolutions.

The regular monthly meeting of the populist county central committee was held in this city last Saturday. The resignation of W. S. U'Ren as chairman of the committee was accepted and Henry Thiessen elected to fill the vacancy.

The date for holding the county convention was set for March 19, and it was decided to elect only delegates to the state convention at that time. The convention for nominating a county ticket will be held at a later date. The primaries will be held on March 12. The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 20 votes or majority thereof cast for congressman and one delegate at large for each precinct.

The following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, By the people's party county central committee of Clackamas county, Oregon, that a referendum election be held at the people's party primaries in this county on March 12, 1898, and the members of the people's party be requested to note the following question:

"Are you in favor of a union of the people's party, free-silver democrats and free-silver republicans in this state on one state ticket, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made through a conference of committees appointed by regularly elected delegate conventions, each party indorsing not less than the following in its state platform:

"First—For the initiative and referendum system of lawmaking in its optional form, and the submission by congress of all important national questions for an advisory vote of the people, until such time as the national constitution shall have been amended so as to provide for direct legislation.

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"Third—For the abolition of all private and corporate banks of issue, and for the issue of all money by the general government alone, all money so issued to be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private." Yes or no?"

W. S. U'Ren, in tendering his resignation as chairman of the committee, which was accepted, said that, after the action of the state central committee, referring the matter of fusion to county committees only, striking out all reference to instructions of voters in precincts, he was convinced that the purpose was to make a fusion for office, without much regard to principles. He said he knew how committees could be and had been worked, and supposed fusion would be made on old lines and fought in old ways. Many of his friends he said, insisted that, as chairman, he should be impartial and silent, and leave it to the people, but he considered himself one of the people, and could not be silent on matters of so much importance, and to avoid an appearance of room for dissatisfaction among his friends, he preferred to do his work in the ranks. The date of the next meeting was set for March 19. A vote of thanks was tendered the retiring chairman for his efficient services. Some intimated U'Ren would again be called to the chairmanship.

Bermuda Lobsters.

In the neighborhood of the Bermudas the sea is extremely transparent, so that the fishermen can readily see the horns of the lobsters protruding from their hiding places in the rocks at considerable depth. To entice the crustaceans from these crannies they tie a lot of snails in a ball and dangle them in front of the cautious lobster. When he grabs the ball, they haul him up.

What He Was After.

Congressman—So you want to serve your country, do you?

Applicant—Well, I ain't particular whether I serve my country much or not, but I should like to get an office at a good salary.—Somerville Journal.

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Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

A series of confidential talks to men will be begun next Sunday at 4 p. m. in the parlors of the association on the general subject "The Big Three." The first will be Rev. Harold Oberg, his topic being "Bottled Traps." The second talk in the series will be given by Rev. A. J. Montgomery, subject, "Funeral Torches" and Rev. T. W. Butler will close the series with a talk on "Wild Oats." All men are cordially invited.

The Portland association held its first members social on Monday night of this week. Four programs were rendered at the same time in different rooms and the building was packed full of an enthusiastic crowd. Five hundred members joined since October 15.

The Y. M. C. A. rooms will be turned over to the ladies auxiliary, the employees of the woolen mills and the members of the association Saturday evening. A splendid program will be furnished mostly by the woolen millers and the ladies will serve cake and coffee. An admission of 10 cents will be charged to meet expenses.

The new board of directors are settling down to business and the prospects for this year's work are good. President Beaton will announce the committees at the regular meeting next Monday night. The budget for this year's expenses will be adopted and plans laid for securing the funds and pushing the work on all lines.

ENLARGED LYMPH GLANDS.

What the Lumps Mean and How They Should Be Treated.

"What are these lumps in my baby's neck?" is a question often asked the doctor.

Lumps, or kernels as they are often called, because they feel like grains or seeds under the examining fingers, are lymph bodies, or glands.

The system of lymph glands and tubes covers the entire body. If it were exposed to view, it would have the appearance of meshwork. Lymph ducts lead from the skin, from the mucous membrane, and from bone to lymph bodies which are further connected with one another by the same means.

At any point where there is an inflammation, a sore, a breaking of the skin or mucous surface, there will be found open mouths of lymph ducts into which waste matter is liable to enter. This waste matter sets up an irritation and an enlargement of the lymph bodies to which it finds its way. It will now be easily understood how such an enlargement or inflammation of the lymph bodies always points to a state of inflammation at some point, perhaps at a considerable distance from the lumps themselves. Thus a felon on the finger causes enlarged glands to appear in the armpit.

Lumps in the neck may sometimes be plainly traced to eczema of the scalp. Sometimes the mouth is the seat of the trouble. Large and inflamed tonsils may be present, or the teeth may be decaying. When the ear is the seat of an abscess, either before or during the course of a purulent discharge enlarged glands are common.

Enlarged lymph bodies just behind the angle of the jaw are sometimes significant of catarrh of the nose and the adjacent portion of the throat. The existence of enlarged lymph bodies for a few days, or sometimes for a longer interval, cannot be said to be in itself dangerous. The case is different when lumps exist for several weeks or longer. They become changed in character after this time and begin to break down and form purulent matter. This stage, too, is more difficult to cure, as surrounding tissue may become affected. The skin over the glands is involved and becomes part of the large, soft, red or purplish swelling, now called an abscess, which either breaks or is lanced by the surgeon.

These enlargements may become invaded by the tubercle bacilli, from which consumption of the lungs or a general consumption may develop.

During the course of an infectious disease, when the glands in the neck sometimes become enlarged, the care of the throat must not be neglected. The use of an antiseptic solution on the affected parts will often produce an immediate good result.—Youth's Companion.

About Lightning Rods.

Rods, although they may not entirely protect a building, may preserve it from being seriously damaged. The Jefferson physical laboratory of Harvard university is protected in the following manner: Each of the chimneys is provided with rods which are connected with conductors running along the eaves. From the corners of the roof conductors are led to the ground and are connected underground with a conductor which entirely surrounds the building and which is connected to a permanent water supply at least ten feet below the surface of the ground. Iron pipes are driven to reach this water supply. This is as near an approach to a cage as circumstances would permit.

A trolley car has a lightning rod in its trolley, which is connected through its motor with the rails and the ground. It is not beyond possibility, however, that a discharge descending the trolley arm should refuse to go through the motor and should seek a quicker oscillating path through the car. This is not likely to happen often, for the network of the trolley wire and the telegraph lines of a town or city, together with the electric light wires, separate and divert into many channels the electrical disturbance. The great increase of wires in our cities serves to protect from great damage by lightning, for many paths are offered to the discharges, which are thus broken up into more or less harmless sparks.—Professor John Trowbridge in Chautauquan.

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Legal Notices.

Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given by order of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County, in the matter of the assignment of the Oregon City Sash and Door Company, S. B. Califf and Chas. Califf, insolvent debtors, that said Court has fixed Monday, April 13, 1898, or as soon thereafter as the same can be reached, as the time for hearing objections to the marshalling of the assets and liabilities of said debtors; all persons having objections to the steps taken by the assignee toward marshalling said assets and liabilities, or that may be taken by said Court at said time toward marshalling the same, must make said objections, on or before said day. C. O. T. WILLIAMS, Assignee as aforesaid. 1-28, 2-25

Assignee's Sale.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.
C. O. T. WILLIAMS, assignee of S. B. Califf, Chas. Califf, and Oregon City Sash & Door Co., Plaintiff, vs.
James Miller, Sonbia Miller, Urish Daniels, Wm. Lankins and W. C. Johnson, Defendants.

Pursuant to a judgment, order and decree made and entered in the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause on the 19th day of January, 1898, directing me to sell the hereinafter described property to satisfy the amount due upon a certain note of said defendants, James Miller and Sonbia Miller to said Chas. Califf, to-wit: the sum of \$1,150 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from March 27th, 1894, together with the costs of sale.

Now, therefore, pursuant to said judgment order and decree, I will on Saturday, the 13th day of March, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the County Court House in Oregon City, said County of Clackamas, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all of the interest, right, and title which the said Chas. Califf and Kate Califf, his wife, and James Miller and Sonbia Miller, his wife, and the said plaintiff as assignee, had on the 27th day of March, 1894, or since had or have in and to lots 6 and 7, block L, of Green Point, Clackamas County, Oregon. C. O. T. WILLIAMS, Assignee of Chas. Califf, et al. 2-11, 3-11

Executor's Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

In the matter of the estate of Carl Frederick Spitzbarth, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Frederick Spitzbarth, executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, has filed in said court his final account and statement of his administration, and that said court has fixed Monday, the 7th day of March, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the court room of said County and State, as the time for the hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof. FREDERICK SPITZBARTH, Executor of the last will and testament of Carl Frederick Spitzbarth, deceased. 1-28, 2-25

Notice for Publication.

Land office at Oregon City, Ore., Jan. 15, 1898. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Ore., on February 25, 1898, viz:

ELISHA KILLIN: H. E. 9207, for the S 1/2 of Sec. 14, Tp. 5 S, R. 2 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: R. M. Baker, John Wright, F. M. Robinson, William Bonney, all of Colton, Oregon. 1-21, 2-25 CHAS. B. MOORE, Register.

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FRANK L. WASKO: H. E. 9158, for the N 1/2 of S 1/2 of Sec. 6, Tp. 2 S, R. 2 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Frank H. Nel, Abraham Ten Eyck, Robert Alexander, Michael Kelly, all of Harwood, Oregon. 1-21, 2-25 CHAS. B. MOORE, Register.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Jane Scott, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I have duly filed my final report, and that the court of Clackamas county, Oregon, and the court has fixed March 7th, 1898, at one o'clock p. m. as a day and time for hearing said report and for the settlement of the same. A. B. MARQUAM, Executor of said estate. H. E. CROSS, Attorney for the estate. 1-21, 2-15

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Arrie Kellogg, a minor, has filed his account for final settlement in the County Court for Clackamas county, Oregon, and that said Court has appointed Monday, the 7th day of March, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. for hearing objections to said account and the settlement thereof. J. T. APPERSON, Administrator of the estate of Arrie Kellogg, a minor. 1-24, 2-4

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Clackamas County.

In the matter of the estate of L. H. Hobbs, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final account as administrator of the estate of said L. H. Hobbs, deceased, in the County Court of said Clackamas County, Oregon, and that said Court has fixed Monday, the 7th day of March, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day as the time for hearing objections to said report and for the final settlement of said estate. L. L. PORTER, Administrator of said estate. 1-7, 2-4

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Ore., January 8th, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Ore., on February 19th, 1898, viz:

MRS. JULIE F. TRULLINGER: H. E. 9342, for the lots 1 and 2 of Sec. 10, Tp. 3 S, R. 3 E. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Pat O'Connor, R. O. Sarver, John Tellepan, James Barbridge, all of Logau, Oregon. 1-14, 2-18 CHAS. B. MOORE, Register.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the will annexed of the estate of Charles Duncan, deceased, and that all creditors and persons having claims against said estate are required to present them with the proper vouchers to the undersigned at Willaburg, Oregon, within six months from the first publication of this notice. DAVID B. LILL, Administrator. Dated this 27th day of January, 1898. Davis & Graham, Attorneys. 1-21, 2-18

Notice for Publication.

Land office at Oregon City, Ore., Jan. 29, 1898. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Ore., on March 12th, 1898, viz:

CHARLES PIPKA: H. E. 9033, for the S 1/2 of S 1/2 of Sec. 6, Tp. 4 S, R. 2 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Chas. W. Fredrick, of Ely, Oregon; Alma Cooper, of Oregon City, Ore.; Harvey Phil lips, of Canby, Ore.; El. Midcock, of Oregon City, Ore. 2-4, 3-11 CHAS. B. MOORE, Register.

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